In the United States District Court BRUNSWICK DIV. For the Southern District of Georgian NOV -9 A & 30 Waycross Division

WILLIAM MALONE, JR.,

Plaintiff,

CIVIL ACTION NO.: 5:17-cv-124

v.

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UNIT MANAGER MALCOLM JONES; and ASSISTANT WARDEN RICKY STONE.

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Defendants.

ORDER

After an independent and *de novo* review of the entire record, the undersigned concurs with the Magistrate Judge's October 3, 2017, Report and Recommendation, dkt. no. 4, to which Plaintiff failed to file Objections. Accordingly, the Court ADOPTS the Magistrate Judge's Report and Recommendation as the opinion of the Court. The Court DISMISSES without prejudice Plaintiff's Complaint and DENIES Plaintiff leave to appeal *in forma pauperis*. The Court DIRECTS the Clerk of Court to enter the appropriate judgment of dismissal and to CLOSE this case.

SO ORDERED, this

day of

2017

HON. LISA GODBEY WOOD, JUDGE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA